

FIFTY THOUSAND BUTCHERS JOIN A WALKOUT

Four Thousand Meat Cutters in East St. Louis Ratify Action of Their Fellow Tradesmen in Other Packing Centers.

EMPLOYERS REFUSE DEMAND FOR GENERAL WAGE INCREASE

Letter Containing Offer of Arbitration Sent to President of Union, Demand in Behalf of Comparatively Unskilled Labor Being Refused.

FACTS ABOUT THE BIG MEAT CUTTERS' STRIKE

Union leaders say 40,000 men will quit their work during the day.

Eight cities—St. Louis, Chicago, New York, St. Joseph, Omaha, Kansas City, St. Paul and Fort Worth are affected.

The companies involved are Armour, Swift, Nelson Morris, Schwarzschild & Sulzberger, Cudahy and the National.

The chief issue at stake is the securing of a new contract between the employers and the union. The old contract expired May 25 and, since then, negotiations have been in progress. The increase is demanded for both skilled and unskilled labor. The employers have expressed a willingness to increase the pay of skilled employees, but not that of unskilled men. The employers say they have offered to refer the negotiations to an impartial commission.

At noon Tuesday 4000 meat cutters and butchers in East St. Louis and 42,000 in Chicago, Omaha, Kansas City, Sioux City and St. Joseph walked out with their tools on the strike, ordered by M. Donnelly, president of the Amalgamated Meat Cutters and Butchers' Association.

The St. Louis packing houses are not, at present, included in the strike order. The secretary of the local union was so informed by the national officers Tuesday. The reason for the exception was not given. The strike order was carried out in spite of a letter sent by the packing house proprietors Monday to President Donnelly, offering to submit the matters in dispute to arbitration.

The final order to walk out came to East St. Louis at 9 o'clock Tuesday morning in the form of a telegram from President Donnelly to the head of the local union. This telegram read: "Order strike at 12 o'clock noon Tuesday, July 12, as per instructions. Wire me results after men have struck."

The executive committee of the International Packing Trades Council of East St. Louis held a final meeting soon after the receipt of this telegram, and strike orders were repeated to the foremen of the men in the different establishments.

File Out Quietly at Noon Hour.

As the whistle blew for the noon hour the machinery stopped and the men began to file out. Each took his tools with him, and instead of hurrying out for the usual quick lunch and the tips of loitering and feet they changed working clothes for street dress and went out to stay.

The strike is a result of the refusal of the packers to grant the demands of the men for higher wages for both skilled and unskilled labor. A representative of the packers says they are willing to consider the demand for more money for the expert workmen, some of whom were getting as high as 50 cents an hour, even though the demand was for an increase of from 10 to 15 per cent. But they were not, he said, willing to grant the increase demanded for all classes of unskilled labor. These employees, he said, were getting from 15 to 16 1/2 cents an hour, and the demand was for 18 1/2 cents.

Packer's View of Situation

The letter that was sent to President Donnelly by the packers makes the following statement of the situation as the packers view it:

"The demand which has been presented by you is for a substantial increase in the wages of unskilled labor. As can be readily verified, there has been no such increase in unskilled labor in any other branch of industry in the United States; but on the contrary the prevailing conditions are such that there has been a decrease in such wages."

"We cannot concede the demands you have made. The strike you forebode will surely cause much suffering to innocent parties and inflict great damage on the public. In view of these facts, the undersigned hereby offer to submit the whole matter to arbitration."

The letter is signed: Armour & Co., by J. Ogden Armour; Swift & Co., by L. F. Swift; Nelson Morris & Co., by Edward Morris; Schwarzschild & Sulzberger, by F. Sulzberger; National Packing Co., by J. P. Lyman; Cudahy Packing Co., by A. Buckart; Libby, McNeill & Libby, by E. Tilden. The packers at East St. Louis, Chicago, Kansas City, Omaha, St. Joseph and Sioux City.

CUT YOUR WEEDS OR FACE JUDGE

Property Owners on Whose Premises Rank Vegetation Flourishes Will Get Short Shrift.

RUSHING THEM INTO COURT

Murray Carleton and the Lemp Estate Are Among Defendants in Such Cases.

"Cut your weeds."

This is the edict that has gone forth from the office of the health commissioner.

Not this year as in the past, by notices sent to owners of property requiring that all weeds be cut and either burned or carted away, but by summons to appear before the several police judges and show cause why fines shall not be imposed on them.

Henceforth the department has considered it necessary to send inspectors several times before the weeds were cut, but this year the first notice will be the last.

Considerable difficulty has been experienced in locating the owners of the property where the weeds are growing, but 250 names have been secured so far and the work is still going on.

The following is a list of the complaints filed up to noon Tuesday, with 50 more to be issued later in the day, the owners being required to appear July 28 in the Dayton street police court, July 29 at the City Hall police court and July 30 in the Wyoming street police court, as the several summonses have been issued:

Harry Troll, Joseph W. Wood, Marion S. Allison, Edward T. Bradley, Lulu M. Tarr, Frederick Rahmoller, Henry M. Smith, Henry L. Carst, George Barne, Charles H. Hines, Julius Baron, John Hanks, Edward Hecker, Nathan Frank, James J. O'Brien, Oliver Grondin, Herman Hines, John Dress, Thomas Kroeger, Christ Meyer, David Murphy, Thomas Henderson, Louis Bernelle, John Gieseler, Edward Cornet, August Cornet, Katie Cornet, Joseph Duffy, John Wagner, Samuel Farnach.

FAIR, NO HOTTER, NO COOLER

Weather Observer Gazes at Skies and Sees Not a Single Change in Prospect.

Fulfillment of the promise of fair weather in a few days made last Saturday by Forecaster Bowie began this morning. Continued fair weather is promised for a day or two. The forecast:

"Fair tonight and Wednesday; little change in temperature; variable becoming southerly."

The disturbance which was central over the Mississippi valley Monday has moved eastward over the St. Lawrence valley, increasing in intensity as it progresses.

It has caused showers and thunderstorms in all the states from the Mississippi valley to the Atlantic coast. The temperature has fallen in the central valleys and is still high in the East and South. It is rising again in the West and North-west.

The stage of the river this morning was 2 1/2, a rise of 3 feet in the last 24 hours. It will rise about six inches higher and then begin falling.

WIDOW'S BEAUTY PROVOKED FIGHT

Mrs. Kathryn McClair's Testimony Saved South Dakota Fair Commissioner From a Fine.

The testimony of Mrs. Kathryn McClair of 1217 Chouteau avenue saved A. L. De Long, fair commissioner from South Dakota, a fine on a charge of disturbing the peace in the City Hall police court Tuesday.

De Long and Angelo Ceserey, proprietor of a concession on the Pike, were arrested Monday after a fight, in which Ceserey is said to have wielded a hatchet dangerously near De Long's head. They filed cross charges against each other.

In the police court Tuesday Mrs. McClair, who is a young widow, confessed that the trouble started over her.

De Long, she said, had frequently called at Ceserey's place of business, where she was employed, and escorted her home Monday he called for that purpose, and was attacked, she testified, by Ceserey.

The latter was fined \$10 and costs and De Long was released.

RAIN HAMPERING HARVEST. However, Greater Portion of Illinois Crop Is in Shock.

Special to the Post-Dispatch. SPRINGFIELD, Ill., July 12.—The Illinois weekly crop bulletin is as follows: Wheat—Wet weather has seriously hindered the wheat harvest, but the greater portion of the crop is cut and in shock and in the southern district, some threshing has been done. Reports indicate so far a yield below the average and a considerable proportion has been damaged by rust.

YOU NAME THE GOVERNOR, WE'LL BOSS TAXATION

—The Machine.

Opposition to Folk Would Subside With Assurance Cook and Allen Can Go on the Ticket.

ROTHWELL BOOM SEEMS TO HAVE BLOWN UP

Anti-Reform Influence at Work to Control Platform Committee and Freeze Out Any Mention of Boodling.

"That part of the platform denouncing bribery, bribe-givers, bribe-takers and the accessories to boodle deals, which the Democratic state convention is expected to adopt, will be so strong, so plain and so direct that Sam B. Cook will probably not dare seek renomination for secretary of state," declared a close friend of Circuit Attorney Joseph W. Folk Tuesday.

This same authority was questioned as to the candidacy of State Auditor Albert O. Allen, whose subservience to the great public service corporations has been fully exposed by the Post-Dispatch.

"If Cook is defeated Allen will be defeated, too," he replied. "The efforts of the Folk organization will be directed to the nomination of a clean ticket from top to bottom."

The platform will declare specifically for an honest assessment of the franchisees of public corporations. That clause alone I should think would exclude Auditor Allen.

All that Mr. Folk and his supporters now have to fear is possible treachery on the part of certain delegates who profess their friendship for reform.

"Mr. Folk knows that Cook would be a serious handicap to the ticket and likewise Allen, but he does not feel that he should make an open fight against them."

Treachery Is Feared.

It developed today that the machine up to a very short time ago entertained serious hope that it could defeat Folk for the gubernatorial nomination. A careful canvass of all the delegates was made and from this canvass it was learned that at least 50 men who are pledged to the governor's candidacy were willing to bolt instructions.

In casting about for a candidate the machine considered that State Chairman W. A. Rothwell would prove formidable enough to bring about Folk's defeat.

Several conferences were held, but assurance was lacking that the full quota of 36 delegates, or the necessary number to insure nomination, could be secured.

Finally the Rothwell scheme, according to the Post-Dispatch's informant, was abandoned. The intention of the state leaders not to interfere with the nomination of Mr. Folk, but the Butlerites and the Hawesites still hope there is yet a chance for the circuit attorney.

The combined opposition to Folk, including the 111 Hawes delegates from St. Louis, will not constitute, unless there is a flagrant betrayal of pledges, more than a minority in the membership of the convention.

Yet the Hawes lieutenant, the Butler lieutenant, the state committee's lieutenant, the administration's lieutenant are known to be working with might and main to secure the nomination of Cook and Allen, and if state machine controls the composition of the industrial and business interests, the nomination of Cook and Allen, no further favors will be asked.

In his desire the opposition to Folk is being backed by the rich public service corporations, whose interests the secretary of state and state auditor have faithfully protected.

Early Provision for Next Winter's Need Made by Looters of a Cedar Chest.

The police are looking for burglars who entered the home of Mrs. R. Morris of 224 Kensington avenue some time between Saturday and Monday, while the family was absent, and from a cedar chest stole two black overcoats valued at \$35 each, a gray overcoat valued at \$25, eight skirts valued at \$20, three dresses valued at \$20, two boys' suits valued at \$20 and three furs valued at \$15. Entrance to the house was effected through the basement door.

Mrs. Orlando Sanders of 2504 North Taylor avenue has reported to the police the theft of a pocketbook containing a \$30 gold certificate from a cupboard in the kitchen at her home, while she was absent Monday night. When she returned, she said, she saw two women sitting in the backyard, the other about 20. Both were about 5 feet 8 inches tall.

The rooming house of George W. Green at 2806 Olive street was entered Monday and suit of clothes belonging to L. E. Williams stolen. Several small articles belonging to W. C. Vickery were also taken.

Missouri Postal Changes.

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 12.—The following rural carriers were appointed today: Brunswick—Henry Gabriel, regular; Garrett D. Dyck, substitute. Huntville—Van D. G. Tuttle, regular; Taylor, substitute. La Plata—John N. Biddings, regular; Virgil Anderson, substitute.

THE WEATHER INDICATIONS.

St. Louis and vicinity—Fair Tuesday night and Wednesday; little change in temperature; variable winds, becoming southerly.

SENATOR CLARK KEPT MARRIAGE TO HIS WARD SECRET 3 YEARS

His Wedding in 1901 to the Girl He Educated and Whose Father Was Killed in One of His Mines, Has Just Been Announced.

HE DENIED THE RUMOR OF UNION TWO MONTHS AGO

Child, Now Two Years Old, Will Share With Its Mother in the Great Fortune of the Copper Magnate—Mrs. Clark in Europe.

Special to the Post-Dispatch. NEW YORK, July 12.—Announcement is made of the marriage of Senator William A. Clark of Montana to Miss Anne La Chapelle, the beautiful French-Canadian girl whom he educated in the most exclusive art schools in Paris.

The ceremony is said to have taken place in Marseilles on May 25, 1901.

Not the least interesting part of the announcement is the fact that Senator Clark, who in 1901 was elected to the United States Senate, had just been married to the girl he had educated in the most exclusive art schools in Paris.

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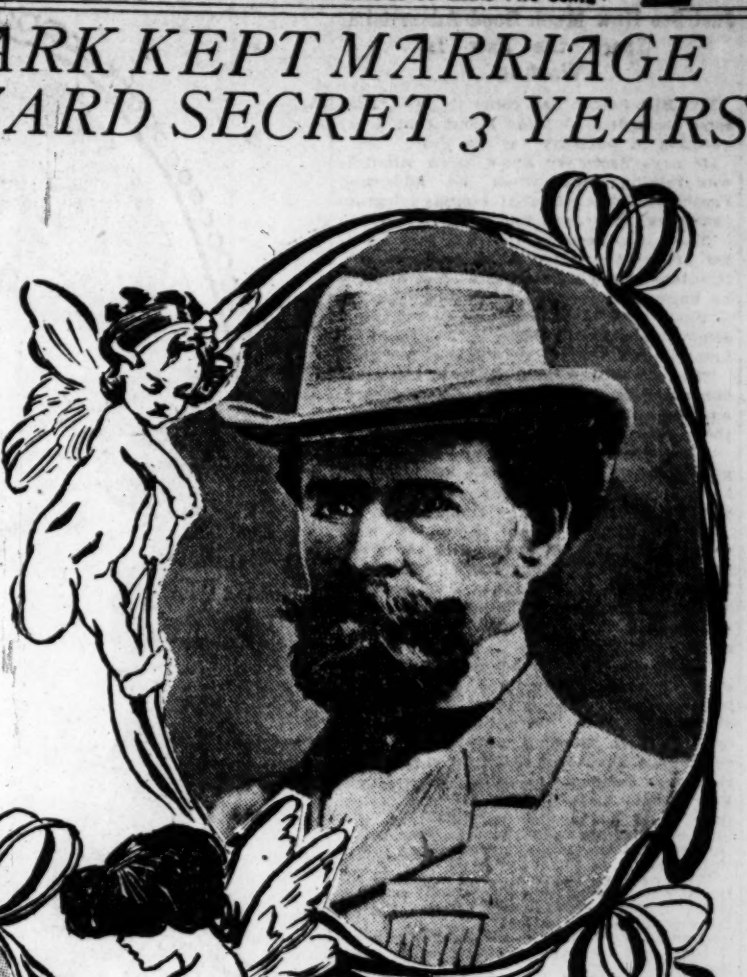
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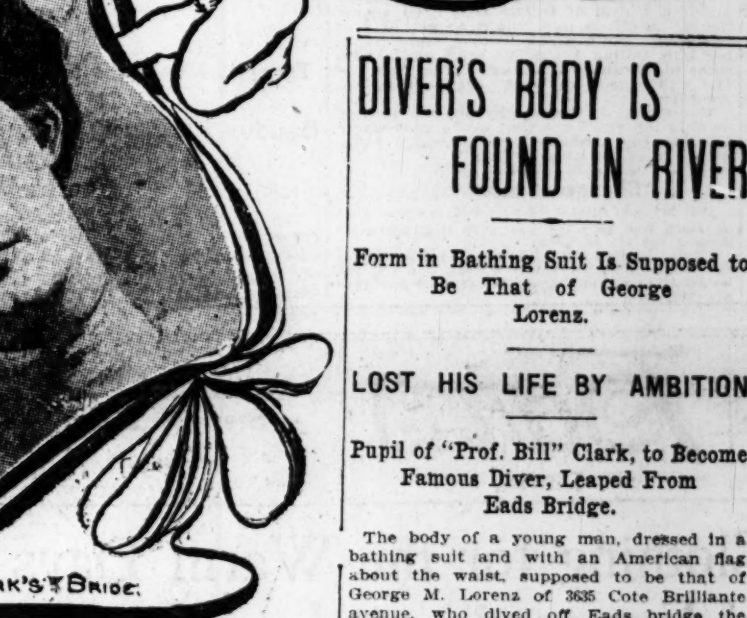
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SENATOR CLARK, OF MONTANA, PHOTOGRAPHED AT THE DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL CONVENTION LAST FRIDAY.



SENATOR CLARK'S BRIDE.

WALBRIDGE'S BOOM ACTIVELY LAUNCHED

Friends Confident the ex-Mayor Can Poll Greater Vote in City and State.

Friends of former Mayor Cyrus P. Walbridge are actively grooming him for the Republican gubernatorial nomination.

Besides being assured of powerful support from the interior of the state, the ex-mayor's friends have reason to believe that the St. Louis delegation of 121 will line up solidly for him at the state convention, which opens at St. Joe, Tuesday, July 26.

At a meeting of the Republican city central committee of St. Louis, Thomas K. Nedringhaus, Louis P. Aloe, Henry C. Grenier and Eugene C. Brockmeyer secured the passage of a resolution endorsing Mr. Walbridge. It is understood that the Walbridge supporters have entered into a deal with the Atkins faction whereby Chauncey I. Filley is to be deprived of all opportunity to participate in the forthcoming campaign.

Mr. Filley, however, says he has not been "frozen out" and in an interview with the Post-Dispatch today intimates that he was not favored by the city committee for the reason that he could not be used to further the conspiracy of Republican and Democratic factions to bring about the defeat of Circuit Attorney Folk.

Mr. Filley Believes It.

"While I have no positive knowledge on the subject," said Mr. Filley, "I think the charge of conspiracy as made by the Post-Dispatch is true."

"When the Post-Dispatch recently published that there had been a deal between the Democratic machine and Republican lobbyists and local boodlers to defeat Folk for election and assure the success of Cook and Allen I was dumfounded."

"At its meeting last Wednesday night the Republican committee conducted a show election sale, or, in other words, sold itself out to those who were going to put up that amount in order to control the delegation to the Republican convention."

YES, FOOTBALL IN SUMMER.

Boers and Britons Each Have a Team and Will Have Hot Sport.

Two association football teams have been made up from each of the Briton and Boer contingents at the Boer war, and, beginning July 17, will alternately meet the Missouri Thistles of French Village, Ill., each Sunday throughout the summer.

The Britons, under the leadership of Duncan MacLennan, will have the first chance with the Thistles, July 17, and the Boers, led by H. Tomm, will follow on July 24. On July 30 the Thistles will meet a picked team from the Briton and Boer contingents between performance and the success of the Boer war. James Miller is manager of the Missouri Thistles.

ST. LOUIS MAN IS ACCUSED OF LAND SWINLE

Special Federal Grandjury to Meet Aug. 10 Will, It Is Understood, Act in Time to Avoid Statute of Limitations.

GOVERNMENT DETECTIVES ON CASE NEARLY THREE YEARS

Dismissal From Interior Department Followed Investigation, and Further Result Is Now to Take Form of Testimony.

Judge Smith McPherson of the United States District Court, sitting in place of Judge Elmer B. Adams, issued an order Tuesday for special grandjury to be convened Aug. 10. It was issued at the instance of the attorney-general of the United States.

It is understood that the purpose is to have an indictment returned against a man recently prominent in St. Louis and Missouri politics, formerly connected with the interior department, on the charge of having been implicated in extensive land and timber frauds.

A special grandjury is necessary because prosecution of the alleged offense is about to be barred by the statute of limitations. It is alleged that the man obtained money from the sale of land and timber and failed to account for it to the government.

His duties were to look after all land in the West, South and Southwest. Three years ago it was suspected that some of the special agents of the government were in collusion with persons who were defrauding the government, but he was not to reach the Fair, expecting to find the chief of the United States secret service department, took charge of the case and has been working on it ever since. He has concluded his work and it is said that he has ample evidence to convict not only the St. Louis man, but many others who have been concerned in frauds in Arkansas, Missouri, Indian Territory and California.

Col. Burns was in St. Louis a few days ago acquainting officials here with some of the evidence he will produce.

REGIMENT LOST, SO WAS GOV. YATES

While Illinois Troops Waited in Sun for Hours, Commander Whirled About Grounds.

This is a short and simple story how Gov. Yates of Illinois lost a regiment of 25 men at the Fair Tuesday.

The Second Illinois Infantry had planned to give an all-day reception to the governor at the Illinois building. He arrived in the city Tuesday morning and made hot haste to reach the Fair, expecting to find the regiment of which he is ex-officio commander-in-chief, lined up to salute him at the State entrance, near the Inside Inn.

The governor in his high hat sallied in through the entrance in his carriage and was surprised when he saw not even an sprig of gold lace to gladden his eye, which is fond of glittering cords, epaulettes and gorgeous panache.

He searched through the Inn, in the hope of finding his regiment concealed therein, but in vain did he inquire inside the Inside Inn.

In a desperate frame of mind, he entered his carriage and went prowling and sacking all over the grounds in the hope of finding his military pets.

In the meantime the regiment, all decked out in its finest togs, rich in gold braid and silken banners, had gone to the parade and entrance near the Lindell Pavilion, expecting the governor to show up there; and after they had waited in vain for one hour and thirty minutes the officers and men relaxed and loafed around under the shade of the trees, strolled around in the vicinity, in the meantime strolling policemen outside the grounds to notify them when the governor should approach, so that they might "fall in" and do the grand-grand march upon him.

Finally the governor came driving through the grounds, with his horses pulling as wildly as himself, and surprised his military pets in their negligent attitudes. Wild commotion ensued. There was a hurried call from the colonel and the various aides to "fall in," and then amid much embarrassment, Col. James C. Stewart, in command of the regiment, whispered to the governor, and the governor politely and correctly drove off into the woods heavily till the regiment could be lined up. Then word was sent him that everything was all right, and he was expected to show up. Then word was sent him that everything was all right, and he was expected to show up.

The day's festivities will close with military reception and ball Tuesday evening.

HE MUST IDENTIFY VOICES

Patrick Grace, a blind man, has until Friday to find witnesses wanted in a police court case by listening to their voices.

Grace is 65 years old and has been blind for 21 years. He is an inmate of the Missouri Home for the Blind, at 1338 Franklin avenue. He had Edward Lewis, colored, arrested for disturbing his peace.

Lewis was sweeping the front porch at the home. Grace came out on the porch and said several women had been with him. He says Lewis pushed him and cursed him. In the Dayton Street Police Court Tuesday Grace conducted his own case. Lewis claimed that Grace had been the aggressor. Louis Puffer testified for him. Grinnard said several women had been with him. He did not know their names. Judge Puffer gave him an opportunity to find his witnesses. He had to reach the court by 10 o'clock.

WOMAN SAYS SHE HAS KLEPTOMANIA

Mrs. Mary L. Wright Declares That She Cannot Resist Taking What She Wants.

CHARGED WITH SHOPLIFTING

Four Warrants Will Be Applied For Against Her by as Many Stores.

According to the police four warrants against Mrs. Mary L. Wright of Clinton, Mo., who was arrested Monday afternoon upon a charge of shoplifting, will be asked for Thursday.

Mrs. Wright pleads that she has kleptomania.

"I just saw things I wanted and took them," she declares. "I didn't need the money, because I have a good bank account in Clinton, and my husband is not a poor man. It was so easy, too. I had no trouble in getting things and putting them in my bag. I guess it became so easy that I grew too bold. I had begun to think they could never detect me."

Mrs. Wright was arrested in one of the department stores yesterday by a detective who had followed her for an hour, and reported that he had seen her take a number of small articles and slip them into her shopping bag. When searched at the Central Station the bag she carried was found to contain a number of articles, which the police say have been stolen from various stores of the city. In the room occupied by Mrs. Wright and her husband, 135 Tamm avenue, was a trunk which was found to contain goods to the value of \$200, which is alleged to have been stolen. All the goods is at the Central Station.

Mrs. Wright claims to be the wife of a merchant in Clinton, and says that while he is not a wealthy man, he is well-to-do and that there was not the least reason for her to take anything which did not belong to her. She could just as well have purchased the articles she wanted.

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AT ALL GROCERS.

STORM-TOSSED HOUSEBOAT IS RESCUED BY TUG AFTER CHILD'S SIMPLE PRAYER

Little Dewey Preller Knew Only the Prayer Learned on His Mother's Knee and Used It as Waves Lashed His Home.

COMFORTED FRANTIC FAMILY TILL FAITH WAS REWARDED

One Killed by Lightning and Over a Dozen Were Injured in the High Wind That Sent Timbers Flying Over the City.

Now I lay me down to sleep,
I pray the Lord my soul to keep,
If I should die before I wake,
I pray the Lord my soul to take.

Little Dewey Preller prayed this prayer when death rode on the storm. He prayed it with the simple, implicit faith of a child, believing that God would still the storm or send help.

A hoarse blast was the answer. Through the enveloping sheets of rain which beat down upon the Preller houseboat, adrift on the storm-swept Mississippi, came a puffing, snorting tug, and Dewey and his papa and mamma and his brother Victor were saved.

And Dewey Preller believes that God sent that tug to save them.

The home of the Prellers is a houseboat, the only sort of home Dewey has ever known. His father, H. A. Preller, is a river photographer. June 15 he arrived at St. Louis from Columbus, O., having drifted down the Ohio river to the Mississippi and been towed up the stream.

The houseboat, of more than ordinarily ornate appearance, was moored at the foot of Barton street.

The little family were all on board Monday afternoon when with a shriek the winds came and the rains descended and the lightnings flashed and the thunders rolled and the waves were thrashed into a rage.

The houseboat, whipped by the wind and tossed by the waves, tugged at the lines. They parted and the houseboat was at the mercy of the winds and waves.

The rain was falling in such blinding sheets that in an instant the boat had been carried beyond sight of the shore and driven out toward the center of the flood-high river, where the billows were tossing high.

Little Family

Panic Stricken.

The waves washed over the gunwales of the boat, threatening each instant to engulf it and carry it to the bottom. Mr. Preller was straining every nerve to keep the craft afloat. Mrs. Preller was frantically screaming for help, which she little expected would come in time because the storm shrieked its mockery louder than she could scream for help.

In despair and terror, Mrs. Preller, in the cabin in the forepart of the boat, caught her two boys, Dewey, aged 4, and Victor, aged 5, in her arms and waited for the worst.

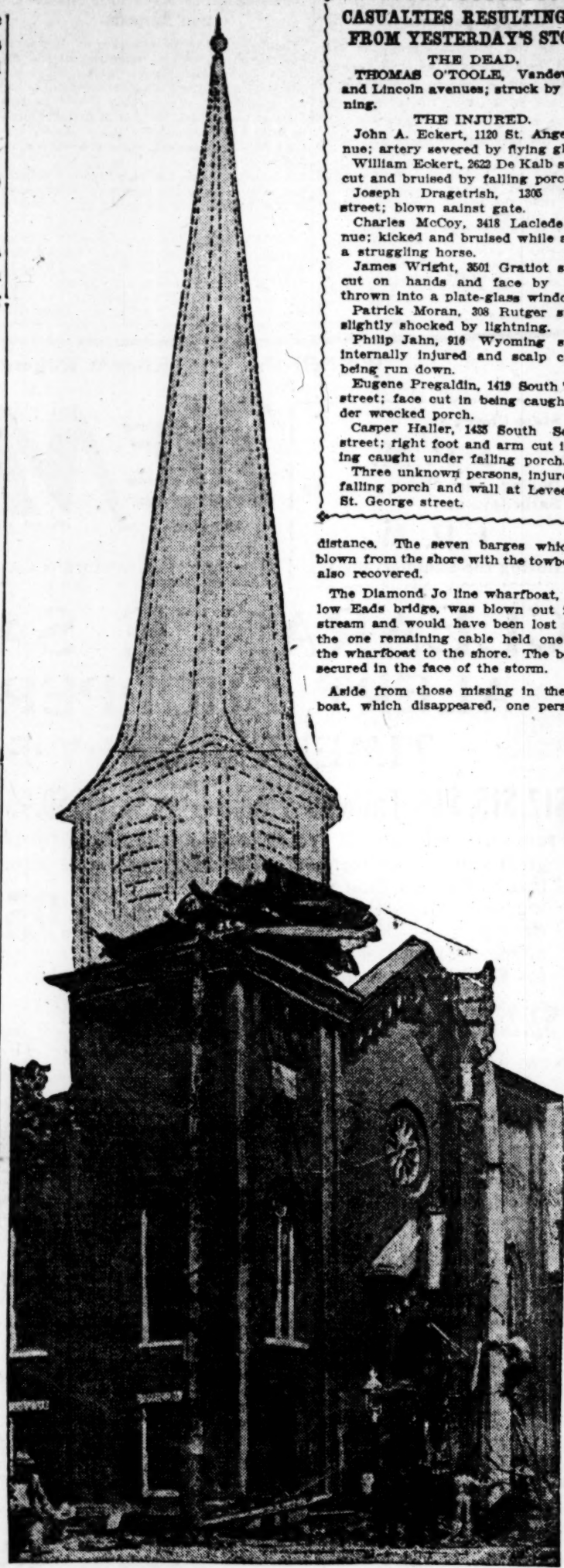
Dewey was the only one who was calm and confident.

"Don't be afraid, mamma," he said. "Let's say 'Now I lay me down to sleep,' and God will stop the storm or send help to us."

He slipped down out of his mother's arms and, with his hands folded and his eyes raised, he said his "Now I lay me down to sleep."

It wasn't exactly the prayer suited to the occasion, but it was the only one he knew, and he thought it would do. He had no manner of doubt that God would understand and do all that the occasion seemed to call for.

The government tugboat No. 4 was lying at the shore half a mile below Barton street. Capt. John Henry was on her deck. There was an instant when there was a lull in the storm. The wind parted the curtain of rain which hung over the river. Capt. John Henry, peering out over the



North Presbyterian Church, Eleventh and Chambers streets, with diagram showing great height of steep blown down by Monday's storm.

water, caught a glimpse of a houseboat, tossed by the waves. "Cast off," he shouted, and the next instant the tug swung out and went chugging into the teeth of the storm.

It had broken forth again with redoubled violence, and Capt. John Henry knew that no houseboat could long stay afloat in such weather. Blinding sheets of rain were again sweeping the surface of the river, and the drifting houseboat could not be seen. Capt. Henry did not know whether it was still afloat or at the bottom of the river, but he had an idea that in the feeble glimmers he had seen the terror-stricken faces of a woman and a child, and he meant to find out.

Whistle of Hope.

He blew a whistle blast to let those on the boat know that he was coming, and the next instant he descried the outlines of the boat, driven by the storm.

He shouted and an answering shout came back from Preller. It was a time for action rather than too much caution, and the sturdy tug brought up alongside the drifting houseboat with a thud. It took no time to secure the boat, and the tug set stubbornly toward the shore and landed the derelict safe and sound.

And it will be a long time probably before little Dewey Preller will be able to think of a tugboat without associating it with divine providence.

The Preller boat was not the only one sent adrift by the storm. Moored near, at the foot of Barton street, was also the houseboat of the Albert family, consisting of two brothers, G. J. and Albert Alberts, and two sisters, Lizzie and Anna Alberts. The sisters and G. J. Alberts were at the Fair and Albert was at his place of employment. This boat was also brought to shore by Capt. Henry.

It was feared during the storm and immediately after it had subsided that the S. H. H. Clark, a large towboat, which had just brought in seven barges for the Valley Transportation Co., had gone down with probably two men on board, but a short time after the storm which was brought in by a smaller boat which had been sent out after her. The vessel had been carried down stream some

distance. The seven barges which were blown from the shore with the towboat were also recovered.

The Diamond Jo line wharfbarge, just below Eads bridge, was blown out into the stream and would have been lost had not the one remaining cable held one end of the wharfbarge to the shore. The boat was secured in the face of the storm.

Aside from those missing in the houseboat, which disappeared, one person was killed by the storm, Thomas O'Toole of Vandeventer and Lincoln avenues, struck by lightning.

CASUALTIES RESULTING FROM YESTERDAY'S STORM.

THE DEAD.
THOMAS O'TOOLE, Vandeventer and Lincoln avenues; struck by lightning.

THE INJURED.
John A. Eckert, 1120 St. Ange avenue; artery severed by flying glass.
William Eckert, 2622 De Kalb street; cut and bruised by falling porch.
Joseph Dragetish, 1305 Wash street; blown against gale.
Charles McCoy, 3418 Laclede avenue; kicked and bruised while aiding a struggling horse.
James Wright, 2601 Gratiot street; cut on hands and face by being thrown into a plate-glass window.
Patrick Moran, 308 Rutger street; slightly shocked by lightning.
Philip Jahn, 218 Wyoming street; internally injured and scalp cut in being run down.
Eugene Pregaldin, 1419 South Third street; face cut in being caught under wrecked porch.
Casper Haller, 1438 South Second street; right foot and arm cut in being caught under falling porch.
Three unknown persons, injured by falling porch and wall at Levee and St. George street.

ACROSS THE STREET
The tall, slender steeple of the North Presbyterian church at Eleventh and Chambers streets was a victim of Monday afternoon's storm.
This steeple, 100 feet high, has pointed its pinnacle toward the sky through the storms of 30 years. But the wind (4 miles an hour) which struck it Monday afternoon made of it a complete wreck.
The steeple was torn squarely off at its base, and toppled across the street, its point crashing into the store of the Widemann Grocery Co. and tearing away walls and windows.
The heavy brick base fell upon and broke scores of telephone and telegraph wires, splintering a massive post that was in the path of its fall, and scattering the debris entirely across the street.
The steeple, which was at the southwest corner of the big brick church, had been a landmark in North St. Louis since it was first built by the city's tallest spire in that section of the city and was unornamented at its pin-like point.
No estimate of the loss has yet been made, and the church authorities have not decided whether the steeple will be rebuilt.

For diarrhoea, dysentery, etc. Wakefield's Blackberry Balsam. All druggists.

Hungarian Exhibit Opening.
A reception at the pavilion in the southeast corner of the Palace of Manufactures and immediately after it had subsided today, George de Szegedy, Hungarian commissioner-general, will receive the guests and the Hungarian band will play. The greater part of the Hungarian exhibit is displayed in a model house of six rooms, the furnishings of which illustrate modern Hungarian manufacture and art.
Muriel Mrs. Kennedy Curves Eyes; Mable Weak Eyes; Muriel's eyes are in position.

WEDNESDAY'S SPECIAL CLEARING SALE BARGAINS

STORE CLOSING DAILY AT 5 O'CLOCK AND ON SATURDAYS AT 1 O'CLOCK

Corsets

Summer Net Corsets of very best material, medium length, straight front, lace trimmed top—sizes 18 to 26—regular 50c corsets—Wednesday at..... 25c

Straight front Summer Net Girdles, with lace at top and bottom, were 75c—Clearing Sale Price..... 45c

Nugents

It's a World Beater! Our Great Sale of

Silk Shirt-Waist Suits

Here are some delayed arrivals that came too late for Monday's selling, but just in time to reinforce the Wednesday's offers! Hundreds and hundreds of handsome suits that we bought at practically our own price from B. Peters & Co., 42 East Ninth St., New York! Two grand lots!



LOT 1—Suits of excellent striped taffeta silk in latest styles, with full broad pleat waists and pleated skirts; splendidly tailored and perfect in fit and finish; colors navy blue, brown, red, wine, green, black or gun metal; also in fine blue and white or black and white shepherd checks or of genuine cloth of gold; sizes 32 to 44 bust in each color.

Your Choice Wednesday for **\$10.00**

LOT 2—Suits of fine taffeta silk, in solid black, changeable blue or brown; also of fancy brocaded taffeta silk in navy, black and white, brown, gray or gun metal—beautiful new colorings; also shepherd checks and imported cloth of gold, beautifully made with box pleats and clusters of narrow tucks; all the new features in sleeves, etc.; sizes 32 to 44 bust. Not a suit in the lot ever before sold for less than \$25.00 to \$30.00.

Choice Wednesday for **\$13.25**

Stylish Linen Suits at Half Price!

In addition to the above sale we make the following astonishing offer Wednesday. We will sell our entire stock of real linen suits, including both tailor-made and fancy dress styles, at these sensational reductions to clear them out!

\$69.00 Linen Suits and Dresses reduced to.....	\$27.00	\$25.00 Linen Suits and Dresses reduced to.....	\$12.50
\$50.00 Linen Suits and Dresses reduced to.....	\$25.00	\$20.00 Linen Suits and Dresses reduced to.....	\$10.00
\$35.00 Linen Suits and Dresses reduced to.....	\$17.50	\$15.00 Linen Suits and Dresses reduced to.....	\$7.50

Extraordinary Sale of Girls' Dresses.

Handsome Suspender Dresses, made with detachable white lawn waists. They're of Scotch Zephyr Gingham, fancy Dimities and Lawns, of best qualities and in a big assortment of colorings and patterns—goods generally used in children's \$3.00 and \$4.00 dresses.

It is the end of the manufacturers' season, so we closed this lot out at a very low figure and now offer you all sizes (from 6 to 14 years) at only..... **98c**

Parasols and Umbrellas.

Two lots of parasols and one of umbrellas that for values will beat all previous offers! They're new—just received from the factory.

LOT 1—Beautiful Coaching Parasols, comprising over a hundred different patterns and colorings—made in the very best manner and actually worth \$3.00 to \$3.95 each—Your choice for..... \$1.50

LOT 2—Superb Coaching Parasols, including all the handsomest patterns of silks—every possible color and shade—Parasols made to sell at \$4.50 to \$6.00 each—Your choice of the lot for..... \$2.88

LOT 3—Ladies' Silk Umbrellas, in black, blues, reds, garnet, browns, greens, etc.—all are with fancy woven borders or in all-over effects—all guaranteed fast color and suitable for rain or sun—Umbrellas made to sell at \$5.00 in the regular way (and they've been selling at that figure all this season in the largest stores in the U. S.)—Nugent's price tomorrow is only..... \$1.98

A Phenomenal Purchase of

Boys' Clothing.

Entire stock of Boys' fine Knee-Pants Suits, bought at 35c on the dollar, from Alsberg, Moritz & Co., 20 and 22 Waverly Place, New York. This immense purchase now offered in two great lots at these ridiculously low prices. See the suits in our show windows.

All-Wool Suits for boys of 3 to 16 years—double-breasted Norfolk Suits, plain double-breasted Suits, single-breasted Outing Suits, single-breasted Norfolk Suits, Eton collar Norfolk Suits, and Norfolk Suits made with knickerbockers—plain blues, blacks and handsome mixtures.

Fine \$8 Suits for.. \$3.48

Stylish \$6 Suits for.. \$2.48

B. Nugent & Bro. Dry Goods Co.

Broadway, Washington Avenue and St. Charles St.



MEDICINE SPOON CONTAINED POISON

**Employee's Mistake in Administering
Drug Leaves Saloonkeeper in
Critical Condition.**

James Evans, aged 51, a saloon keeper, living over his saloon at 214 South Second street, is in the City Hospital today in a critical condition as the result of a mistake made by his bartender.

Evans, who has been ill for several days,

called to his bartender, James Fitzgerald, and told him to bring up his medicine, which he would find behind the bar, where he had left it earlier in the day.

Fitzgerald found a bottle which he supposed was the medicine, took it up to Evans and gave him a spoonful of it.

Evans screamed with pain, and Fitzgerald then discovered that he had given his employer carbolic acid.

It is thought that Evans will recover.

Americans in the Making.

The new humorist in the House of Representatives, J. Adam Bede of Tennessee, has discovered a new description of the process a foreigner goes through in attaining citizenship rights in this country.

He says he was out in the West not long ago. He met a group of men who were talking of their different nationalities. Among them were representatives of a half-dozen different countries.

Among these were a Scot, a German, an Italian, a Swede, a Frenchman, and finally, says Bede, one fellow signed for his status in the mountains of the Nordland and announced that he was a Norwegian but had been "naturalized."

PORT ARTHUR'S FALL EXPECTED IN A FEW DAYS

**Tokio Newspapers Assert City Will Be
Taken at the End of July and Per-
mit to Foreign Correspondents Sup-
ports This View.**

**FORTRESS SUPPLIES WILL BE
USED UP BY NOVEMBER**

**Key to the Russian Defensive Works
Is Reported as Taken and Fighting
Is in Progress Throughout the Hills
Protecting the City.**

**BY GORDON SMITH,
War Correspondent of the New York
World, Post-Dispatch and Lon-
don Post.**

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TOKIO, Japan, July 12.—Port Arthur will fall at the end of this month, the Japanese newspapers assert.

I am informed, upon high authority, that the foreign military and naval attaches and newspaper correspondents, who still are in the city, will be permitted to start for the city of operations, by or before next Wednesday.

From a War Correspondent of the New York World and Post-Dispatch.

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At the Front in Manchuria, via Shanghai, China, July 12.—Refugees from Port Arthur report that the fortress will not be able to hold out longer than November.

The garrison there is hoping and expecting that the Baltic fleet will reach Port Arthur with supplies of ammunition, which is becoming scarce.

The damaged battleships of the squadron have been repaired, but probably would not be able to stand the strain of an engagement.

The Japanese continue to mount siege guns on heights overlooking the town.

Special Cable to the New York World and Post-Dispatch.

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CHENGFOO, Northeastern China, July 12.—Chungta, the key to the Russian defensive works at Port Arthur, has been taken by the Japanese.

Fighting is now in progress all along the hills between Chungta and Port Arthur. Heavy artillery firing began at midnight and continued without pause until 3 a. m. Later, it was resumed.

The Russians have destroyed the Retzian and one other battleship of the Port Arthur squadron.

**ARMIES FACE EACH OTHER
READY FOR GREAT BATTLE.**

HEADQUARTERS OF GEN. KOTLY KELLER, NIUT-KAY (eleven miles west of Lian Shan Dian), July 12.—The opposing armies are grimly facing each other on the heights across the Lian Shan, ready to engage in a death struggle.

The Lian Shan crosses the main Liao Yang-Feng road, 20 miles east of Liao Yang. It flows north into the Tai river, which passes through Liao Yang and empties into the Liao river.

The correspondent of the Associated Press, who arrived here after a 35-mile ride from Siao Lindi, saw long lines of infantry and transport trains winding the rough mountain.

At Lian Shan Dian a lookout stationed in a turret pointed out the way to Gen. Keller's headquarters, near Niut-Kay. There the Russian eastern army was found, hidden in the hills in a plain tent. The correspondent saw Gen. Keller, living like a simple soldier, his staff being quartered in native but nearby. The general looked cheerful and was bronzed by exposure. He talked enthusiastically of the engagement at Hoi Yan.

Around the general's tent were many officers of the guards, the pride of the Petersburg. To see them on a weather beaten as the Russian capital. They have become hardened fighters, for hardly a day goes without collisions between the advance posts of the eastern army and the Japanese. The whole army is anxious to fight Gen. Kuroki, whose headquarters are at Yandampur, and the Japanese are en-battled on the other side of the river. The burning question is who will be the first to cross the dread valley of the Lian river.

MINORITY MADE MISSOURI'S RECORD

**Only 13 of 38 Delegates Voted
Against Sending Telegram to
Judge Parker.**

When the roll was called at the last session of the Democratic national convention on the motion to send a telegram to Judge Alton B. Parker, the nominee, in answer to his gold standard message, Missouri was recorded as casting 36 votes in the negative.

There were 37 members of the delegation present when the vote was taken. The seven delegates who favored the sending of the message were George J. Tansy, Harry E. Hayes, A. C. Stuever, H. T. Lee, I. J. Mead, W. R. Edgar and S. W. Dooley.

POLICE DISLIKE TO PAY "ROOTERS" WAY

**Members of Force Are Complaining of
Assessments Made for Conven-
tion Purposes.**

Confirming the publication in Monday's Post-Dispatch, several members of the St. Louis police department addressed communications to the Folk gubernatorial headquarters today, complaining that they had already been "held up" for \$1 and \$2 apiece to defray the expenses of the St. Louis delegation to the coming state convention at Jefferson City.

A substantial part of this "rooter" delegation, according to the information contained in the letters, will be made up of policemen.

"It is intended," writes a Fourth district policeman, "to send 300 plain clothes men with the Jefferson Club crowd to Jefferson City. The other members of the force have to stand the cost. We understand transportation will be free. It is our hope that

something will be done to stop these repeated calls on our pocketbooks for political subscriptions."

A member of the assessments now being levied against the members of the force are for the purpose of defraying the expenses incident to the passage of a police pension law at the next session of the legislature. As the next session of the legislature will not convene until January, 1905, this explanation is accepted with a grain of salt by the members of the department.

The assessments are a minimum of \$1 for patrolmen, \$2 for sergeants, \$7.50 for lieutenants and \$10 for captains. A

It is understood the Jefferson Club is preparing to send 300 rooters to Jefferson City.

After Weed Ordinance Violators.

Summonses for nearly 150 property owners and real estate firms have been issued citing them to appear before various police courts of the city on charge of permit violations to grow on vacant lots belonging to them.

The action has been taken upon the order of Health Commissioner Simon under a law which makes such an offense punishable by a fine of from \$10 to \$50. This law was upheld by the Supreme court last winter and the health commissioner intends to enforce it. The present cases will be tried early next week.

The Limit.

Tired Tatters: Dis paper tells erobot a teller wot died from erobot.

Wearly Walker: Wot's dat?

Tired Tatters: It's de fellas' wot comes to a man when he gets dat loatin' hard work.

"FOLK DELEGATES" WELL NOT BOLT

**Maj. Harvey Salmon Says Violation of
Instructions Is Not to Be
Considered.**

Maj. Harvey Salmon, for years classed with the state administration forces, but now an instructed Folk delegate, told friends about the Farmers' Hotel Tuesday that in his opinion no effort would be made to interfere with the circuit attorney's nomination.

He said he considered it doubtful if a Democratic convention would permit delegates to violate their instructions, and that as Mr. Folk had a clear majority he could see nothing else in prospect but his nomination.

Maj. Salmon said that the talk of bolting had probably been started by a statement attributed to Congressman Cochran of St. Joseph. Cochran was quoted as saying that 10 delegates would bolt their instructions for Sam Cook. If the Cook delegates have a right to bolt, Maj. Salmon says, some of the Folk delegates may think they have the same right.

FEMALE WEAKNESS IS OFTEN DUE TO CATARRH

**A Grateful Wife and Mother
Restored to Health After
Years of Suffering.**

**Pe-ru-na Cures Catarrh
Wherever Located.**



Mrs. J. P. REGNIER, 74 W. 20th St., Chicago, Ill., writes:

"I am anxious to show my gratitude for what Peruna has done for me, and hope this will reach the eyes of some woman who has suffered as I did. For two years I had intense pains regularly every month, headache and backache. At such times I was hardly able to be about, and felt very weak and worn out. I am now feeling very well, but would not be without Peruna in the house. When I see my children are not feeling well and have a little cold, I at once give them Peruna, and they know it does them good, so they take it without any trouble. I am a new woman since I began taking Peruna. My friends say, 'How well you look!' and I tell them what made me well, so some of my friends are going to try it themselves."—Mrs. J. P. Regnier.

Women all over the United States recommend Peruna. They praise it as a remedy particularly adapted to their peculiar ailments. But they do not stop there. They recommend it as a family medicine; they give it to their little children. They say they would not be without it in their homes.

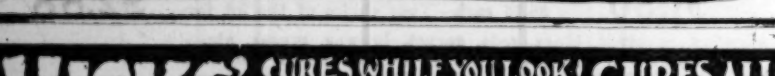
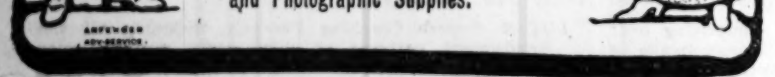
Thousands of women suffer from pelvic catarrh and catarrhal nervousness and don't know it. If you feel fagged out, begin at once taking Dr. Hartman's Peruna. It will relieve your catarrhal affliction and give your organs will be restored to health. Buy a bottle today, as it will alleviate your case.

All Amateur Photographers

are cordially invited to participate in Aloe's PHOTOGRAPHIC CONTEST

A splendid list of valuable prizes will be awarded for the best photographs taken at the World's Fair and on the Pike. Contest closes September 1st. Ask for descriptive circular containing full information, rules of contest and list of prizes.

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\$12, \$15, \$18 Tailored Linen Coat Suits, \$9.95
From our great sale of recent date, about 75 of these great suits, pure linen—strictly tailor made, the kind that will retain their shape after washings—in white, tan, blue and lavender—a good selection of newest shapes—suits that were made to sell for \$12.00, \$15.00 and \$18.00.

\$2.25 Finest Lawn Waists, \$1.00
New, fresh, clean, sheer Lawn Waists—one of the best fitting models, full pleated front, with fine broad front piece of open work—a well tailored, good fitting waist, regularly sold for \$2.00 to \$2.25, all sizes.

Leather Bags.
PEGGIE BAGS—Fine quality, leather riveted frames, turned strap handles; tan, brown and black; \$1.50 quality. \$1.00
NETUSKIE BAGS—36 in the lot—genuine seal and morocco leathers; \$2.00 to \$3.00. \$1.25
CARPET BAGS—Walrus grain, the new long shape, with purse; also genuine seal and walrus auto bags, fitted with card case and purse; \$1.00 to \$2.00 quality. 65c

Notions.
PINS—Glass-head Pins, put up in a dozen different styles of fancy boxes, etc.; 5c package. 2c
GARTERS ELASTIC—Ribbed silk, lace loom and fancy frilled, in white, black and colors; goods that sold regular at 20c and 25c a yard; 30-INCH GARTER LENGTHS. 10c
FINISHING AND NOVELTY BRAIDS—White and colors; 10c quality. 3 for 5c
SPOOL COTTON—White and black; 200-yard spools; PER DOZEN. 12c

Linens.
\$1.25 and \$1.50 Damask \$1.00 yard.
The boldest clearance we have made in our linen department. There are only 15 pieces left in the assortment, but it is the finest German silver bleached damask, shown at \$1.25 and \$1.50 a yard. These were the simple pieces used by the manufacturer himself in taking his import orders and on these splendid goods we can save you 25c to 50c the yard. They are in the newest designs of open border pattern for full (quantity limited). Your choice of these \$1.25 and \$1.50 values, a yard. \$1.00

House Furnishing Clearance.
SHELF PAPER—The wide scalloped edge kind, assorted colors—regular price 40c per package—Sale Price, 3 pack—25c
TOILET PAPER—The perforated kind, full-size rolls—regular price 3 for 75c. Sale Price, 20 for 25c
SCOURING SOAP—The Star Cleaner—regular price 5c per cake, Sale Price, 8 cakes for 25c
FLOUR SIEVE—The Hunter's pattern—made of heavy tin—regular price 10c. Sale Price, 7c
CURTAIN STRETCHER—The new sag folding stretcher, regular price 75c. Sale Price, 50c
COAT AND HAT HOOK—Made of twisted black wire—regular price 10c dozen. Sale Price, dozen 7c
CHAMBER PAIL—Galvanized iron with cover, regular price 40c. Sale Price, 29c
LAWN MOWER—Easy-running, a good cutter—regular price \$2.25. Sale Price, \$1.69
BREAD KNIFE SET—Consisting of bread, cake and paring knife—regular price 10c per set, Sale Price, 10c

Ladies' Underwear Clearance
Ladies' low neck, no sleeve, white cotton Vests, lace finish, regularly sold at 30c. Wednesday, 11c
Ladies' extra long quality lace thread Vests, fancy and plain yoke, regularly sold at 25c. Wednesday, 23c
Ladies' extra sizes white cotton Vests, lace finish, low neck, no sleeve, also short sleeves, regularly sold at 30c. Wednesday, 23c

Ladies' Hosiery Clearance
Ladies' fine quality gauge cotton Hose, all sizes, a value. Wednesday, 23c
Misses' fine quality black-ribbed lace thread Hose, double knees, heels and toes—regularly sold at 30c. Wednesday, 25c
Special sale of 300 dozen ladies' 10c quality lace lace thread Hose, in tan, only, Wednesday, 29c

Family Left Without Means.
Mrs. Jacob Schirmer of 1415 Washington avenue has reported to the police the disappearance of her husband who, she says, left their home almost four weeks ago and has not communicated with her since. She says he gave no reason for leaving, and she has been unable to trace him. He left his place of employment and did not tell her where he was going. Mrs. Schirmer says her husband did not leave her any money for the support of herself and her three children, who are now 10, 8 and 5 years old, of dark complexion, 5 feet tall, broad-shouldered, and with dark mustache.

**Household Goods Clearance Sale in
Lace Curtains and Lace Bed Sets**
Every odd pair of curtains—every odd bed set must be immediately disposed of—because the price is affected—quality remains quality. You have the choice of French, English, Brussels net, cable net and Scotch, while the supply holds out. Buy now!—HALF OFF.
Rugs and Mattings
Straw Mattings—Japanese, cotton warp straw Mattings—regular value 25c yard, extensive choice pattern—\$11.50
Room rugs, 8x12 feet, tapestry Brussels room rugs, extensive choice pattern—\$4.95
Felt Mattresses, the celebrated best of tickling—in general make this mattress is unsurpassed—regular size mattress—during our clearance, \$7.50

Clearing Sale Bargains Wednesday

Gingham Petticoats.

Ladies' gingham Petticoats, deep flounce, finished with small ruffle—regular 50c value—Wednesday at

35c

15c Dotted Swiss, 5c.

MAIN FLOOR.

From 8 to 9—One case of White Dotted Swiss—large and small dots—the 15c quality—

5c

BARGAIN BASEMENT

HOSE—12½ Children's Ribbed Hose—in Basement—Clearing Sale Price—**3c**
HANDKERCHIEFS—100 Men's Turkey red and Indigo blue Handkerchiefs—slightly damaged—in Basement—Clearing Sale Price—**1c**
CROCHET COTTON—5c Silky Crochet Cotton—in Basement—Clearing Sale Price—**1c**
SKIRTS—Ladies' fine black and white checked Mercerized Skirts—regular \$1.25 value—in Basement—Clearing Sale Price—**47c**
WRAPPERS—Ladies' Wrappers, all sizes, excellent value at 40c—in Basement—Clearing Sale Price—**38c**
LAUNES—Remnants of light-colored Launes—regularly sold for 5c—Clearing Sale Price—**1c**
LAUNES—Remnants of fine 7½c Dress Launes, in neat designs, on sale—Clearing Sale Price—**3c**
LAUNES and DIMITIES—One case of assorted colors and patterns of Launes and Dimities—regular 10c and 12½c quality—Clearing Sale Price—**5c**
SHEETS—40c value of Sheets—also 72c—Clearing Sale Price—**39c**
MUSLIN—10c value of Bleached Muslin—Remnants—Clearing Sale Price—**6c**
SHEETING—22½c Unbleached 4-4 Sheeting—Clearing Sale Price—**15c**
MUSLIN—4c yard-wide QC Sheeting—Clearing Sale Price—**3c**
SHOES—One lot of drummers' samples of Children's Shoes—regular 95c value—Clearing Sale Price—**39c**
ROLLER TOWELING—500 yards Bleached Crash, red bordered, good quality—8 to 10 o'clock—in Basement—Clearing Sale Price—**4c**
RED SPREADS—50 cases of White Hemmed Crochet Bed Spreads, raised Marcelline patterns, large size—From 8 to 10 o'clock—Clearing Sale Price—**49c**

Children's Petticoats.

Made of good quality muslin, deep hem, cluster of tucks, sizes from 1 to 12 years—Wednesday at

10c

Towels.

100 doz. Fringed Huck Towels, red borders, good size—the 12½c quality—at

7c

Wash Goods. MAIN FLOOR. Wednesday Specials.

15c Launes and Batistes—**5c**
 15c Wash Voiles—**7c**
 20c Chambray Madras—**12c**
 25c Knickerbocker Suiting—**12c**
 25c Silk Mulls—**15c**

One big lot of Men's Fine Summer Underwear, all kinds and colors, and not a garment worth less than 50c, but they are samples and we can close them out for

A fine lot of Men's regular \$1 and \$1.50 Summer Shirts, made of the very best cloth and by some of the most celebrated makers—special for tomorrow

43 dozen Police and Fireman Brace Suspenders, genuine leather ends and patent buckle—well worth 25c—special for tomorrow

MEN'S SAMPLE UNDERWEAR, 25c

Handkerchiefs, Filo Embroidery, Silk, per skein, 1c

5c Colored Border Handkerchiefs, from 8 to 10, for **1c**

Men's All-Linen Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, worth up to 25c—special for Wednesday **10c**

35c Scarfs and Shams—Wednesday for **15c**

5c Doilies for **1c**

25c Lisle Gloves, 2 clasps, all colors, for **15c**

ARE YOU IN NEED OF SHADES?

Wednesday in our great Clearing Sale we will place on sale 75 dozen best Oil Opaque Window Shades, mounted on 1-inch Hartshorn Rollers, pronounced to be the best shade roller made; the cloth is all perfect and the best grade of oil opaque, the color is dark green and the size is 36 inches, a shade that sells in every house at from 60c to 75c; we offer them Wednesday, complete.

ALL-WOOL INGRAIN RUGS—Size 40 x 60, many colors, match; four of these sewed together will make a large room rug; worth 75c—Sale Price Wednesday—**35c**

JAPANESE MATTING—Linen warp, carpet patterns, usually sold for 50c, 1 yard—Sale Price Wednesday, **15c**

LACE CURTAINS—Pull 2½ yard long, 34 inches wide; beautiful range of patterns; worth \$2.50 a pair—Sale Price Wednesday, **17c**

FLOOR OILCLOTH—Good, heavy quality, 6 feet long and 48 feet wide, usually sold for 35c a yard—Sale Price Wednesday, a yard—**19c**

IRON BEDS—Strong fancy beds, finished in assorted colors, with cotton top mattress and good double bottom wire spring, complete outfit, worth \$1.00—Sale Price Wednesday—**55c**

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WEDNESDAY SPECIAL—\$2.98

HAMMOCKS—41.25 close-woven Hammock, covered with feather-proof ticking—Sale Price Wednesday—**79c**

HOTEL CHINA—3000 Greenwood china cups and saucers, regularly sold at \$1.50 per dozen—Wednesday as an extra special—**15c**

PAINTS—Ready mixed, all colors, for Wednesday—**23c**

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EXTRACTED without pain by a new method of liquid air; no dangerous drugs or gas given. 25 cents. NO SORE GUMS. NO PAIN.



Until July 10th we have decided to make our new wholesale plates with best teeth for \$4.00—do not cover roof of mouth. Guaranteed to bite corn off the cob. 20 years' guarantee.

BRIDGEWORK, guaranteed.....\$3
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 Best materials, best workmen. Done in less than any dentist in St. Louis. \$500 back statement. Come and have your teeth examined and be convinced.
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strong novel of the time of the Louisiana Purchase.

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CANDIDATE DAVIS SREMBUS, TOO

Up at 6:30 With an Appetite Like a Laborer, Then Tramps Over Farm.

IS GOING TO NEW YORK SOON

Says He Felt the Greatest Pleasure When His Motherless Grandchild Congratulated Him.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.
 ELKINS, N. Va., July 12.—Henry Cassaway Davis, Democratic candidate for vice-president, got up this morning at 6:30 o'clock after a restful sleep of eight hours and ate a breakfast that made his secretary, who is only 22, feel like an invalid. Then, putting on his long boots and taking his broad-brimmed farm hat, he set out for a brisk walk across the lawns of "Graceland," as his palatial home back at Elkkins is called. He made his way to the fields, where already the men were opening hay-cocks in expectation of a good hay day.

Mr. Davis is an energetic farmer as well as a man of affairs, and the men on the broad estate know that his quick eye sees everything.

The first one of the farm hands to see him coming was the old darkey, Abram Turner, bent double with the load of years. Turner is the gardener, and his one child in this world is "Massa Davis." Turner is a hot Republican, but when the news of the nomination of Mr. Davis reached him Sunday, he threw down his rake and exclaimed:

"Now am the day of jubilee, an' dis old darkey is goin' to throw his first Democratic ticket."

And the old negro picked a great armpit of Maryland roses and pressed them on the Plaza of Graceland, through which Mr. Davis must pass on entering his house.

Negro Servant Leads in the Shooting.

When Turner saw him going into the field this morning he set up a shout, and the men, white and black, gathered around the athletic figure of the wonderful old man and shook his head and said:

"It affected me more," said Mr. Davis to a Post-Dispatch reporter, "than all the telegrams of congratulation I have received. I suppose that you will smile when I tell you, but this is the first time that I have felt since they woke me in my cradle at Graceland at 3 o'clock and told me that I had been nominated for vice-president when my sweet, 11-year-old motherless grandchild, Kate, came running across the lawn to meet me, with her arms outstretched, to give me her usual hug."

"I knew you would be nominated," she said, and she was right, for she had known it because I had not dreamed of being chosen. She is a sweet little girl, with her mother's brown hair and eyes. Her mother, you know, is dead," and across the hand-some kindly face of the old negro, a first light shadow during the hour he had been talking with the reporter.

"If I had known this was coming," he said, "I might have been ready with some of the things I have said. But I did not know it, so I have no plans as yet. I have been in telegraphic communication with Mr. Hill and Mr. Shuman, where Mr. New York in a week or so for a conference."

He has been receiving so many telegrams of congratulation today that I have not had time to read them all. Mr. Parker telegraphed me in a very pleasant way. Other telegrams came from Mr. Harp, Mr. Molloy, Mr. McGowan, Mr. Gov. E. B. Jackson of Maryland; from East and West, from England, from France, and one from Germany, where my daughter, Mrs. Elkins, is at Bad Nauheim.

Three hundred and today. I have planned to go to Bedford Springs, Pa., for a few weeks this summer, and shall still go. Beyond that I cannot say.

"You must know that I shall do my share in the campaign. I don't feel a year over 50. I have not a cent of life insurance. Never tell to any. I am a doctor and no use for one."

And here he was asked that magnetic way that he had won him so many friends.

All today the village people, from merchants and capitalists to the poor, were live in the cottage along the river, have been climbing the steep hill to Graceland to see and hear him and he has received them in truly Democratic fashion, modestly, but with a certain grandeur that was not lost sight of the money question, saying that, until Mr. Parker does so, it will be impossible to be accurate in himself, but he is known everywhere in West Virginia as a gold Democrat.

MR. PENNY BARELY ESCAPED.

Limb of Tree Almost Struck Preacher During Monday's Storm.

Rev. Mr. Penny, who is attending the meeting of the Vanguard Mission Association at Marvin camp ground, five miles from St. Louis on the Clinton & Western suburban electric line, has begun to believe that he has a charmed life.

During Monday's storm, while he knelt praying in his tent at the French Heights, a large tree nearby was snapped off and carried over the tent, falling just as it reached the opposite side. One end of a large limb tore a hole through the side of the tent, missing Mr. Penny only a few inches.

In 1902 Mr. Penny escaped death in Martin, N. Va., when the eruption of Mount Pelee, established by only a few days. Mr. Penny established himself and his wife in the tent in Martinique and worked there until just before the disaster. Leaving on a vacation trip, he was in the tent when the eruption was being held, wrecked a temporary shelter and two women were killed. Mr. Penny's grocery store and blew down a tent in which were Miss Lawson, a missionary from India, Miss Berryman of California and an infant. No one out of about 40 persons on the ground was injured.

Thirty or 40 large trees were uprooted. The storm will not interfere with the regular annual camp meeting which will open July 14 and continue 10 days.

PLANS FOR THE FRENCH FETE

Miss Edna Bernadine Fassett Will Sing "La Marseillaise."

The national hymn of France, "La Marseillaise," will be sung at West End Heights Thursday evening at the French Fete, by Miss Edna Bernadine Fassett, attired in the costume of the Goddess of Liberty, with chorus, orchestra accompaniment.

At 7:30 o'clock Thursday evening a salute of 21 bombs will be fired in honor to the French republic, and the opening of the fete on the stage will be at 8:30 o'clock.

Francisco-American society, which gives the fete, to have it excel any ever given in St. Louis.

BRYAN RETURNS TO LINCOLN

Nebraska Much Improved and Was Accompanied by His Daughter.

William Jennings Bryan has left the city for his home in Lincoln, Neb., accompanied by his daughter, Miss Grace. His health was much improved.

Prominent delegates to the Democratic national convention who left St. Louis Monday were: National Committeeman J. M. Head of Tennessee and T. C. Campbell of Michigan and Perry Belmont of New York.

\$2.00 Linen Embroidered Waists

At 9 A. M. for One-Half Hour.

500 Embroidered Linen Shirt-Waist Patterns from a New York manufacturer; 20 different designs made to sell for \$2.00—for one-half hour.

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35c and 25c Printed Madras

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Wednesday we shall place on sale our entire line of Printed Shirting and Shirt-Waist Madras; the styles are beautiful, quality and colors are guaranteed; 32 and 36 inches wide; worth 25c and 35c a yard; on sale for one-half hour in basement, yard, at

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85c Navy and Black Mohairs

At 9:30 A. M. for One-Half Hour.

Another lot of those elegant Black and Navy Blue Mohair Sicilians, 46 inches wide, can't be beat for World's Fair Skirts and Suits, and well worth 85c a yard—on Wednesday morning prompt at 9:30 a. m., for one-half hour.

39c

\$1 "No Jag" Curtain Stretchers

At 9 A. M. for One-Half Hour.

\$1.00 "No-Jag" Curtain Stretchers; brass-plated pins; 4 yards long; Sale price for one-half hour, each.

63c

\$2.50 a Pair Lace Curtains

At 9:30 A. M. for One-Half Hour.

1000 Scotch Lace Curtains, 3½ yds. long and 26 to 28 inches wide; some have slight imperfections, but perfect; worth \$2.50 a pair; your choice for two-half hour Wednesday, per curtain.

39c

75c Ladies' Black Lace Hose

At 9:30 A. M. for One-Half Hour.

Ladies' very fine imported full regular made all-over Lace Hose, very pretty, new designs, sizes 8 to 10, regular 75c value—for one-half hour.

25c

\$5.00 and \$4.00 Skirts at 9 A. M.

For One-Half Hour.

Choice of 100 Skirts—a line of samples—no two alike, but all are new and up to date—fine wool and mohairs—should bring \$4.00 and \$5.00, but to clear them out in half an hour, each.

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 Wednesdays and Fridays.....Leave 10:00 A. M. Return 5:00 P. M.
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 Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays.....Leave 10:00 A. M. Return 5:30 P. M.

GRAND MOONLIGHT EXCURSION EVERY NIGHT
 Leave 8:00 P. M. Return 11:00 P. M.

STEAMER CORWIN H. SPENCER Leaves from Wharfboat, foot of Locust St. Leaves for Kinloch, D-802. Telephone, Main 1519—Kinloch D-802. TICKETS, 25 CENTS.

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JEFFERSON CITY, MO., Sunday, July 10.

\$1.50 ROUND TRIP.

Train leaves Union Station 9:20 a. m. Arrives Jefferson City 10:20 a. m. Leaves Jefferson City 1:30 p. m. Arrives Union Station 3:30 p. m. Tickets, Round Trip, \$1.50. Call at office for excursion list.

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Fredericktown, Mo., Sunday, July 17, 1904.

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Stopping at Hiram, Mo. Leaves Union Station 9:20 a. m. Arrives Fredericktown 10:20 a. m. Leaves Fredericktown 1:30 p. m. Arrives Union Station 3:30 p. m. Tickets, Round Trip, \$1.25. Call at office for excursion list.

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Admission Free, Including Grand Stand.

BASE-BALL TODAY.

NATIONAL LEAGUE PARK, Vandeventer Avenue and Natural Bridge Road.

BROOKLYN

vs. **ST. LOUIS**

Game Called at 3:45 P. M.

Boxes, July 16, 17, 19 and 20.

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WEDDING SUPPER OF WIENERWURSTS

Mrs. Gehler Has Still Another Story
to Tell About Her Peculiar
Married Life.

Joseph Gehler, the champion stingy man, who was arrested in Belleville Monday morning on a charge of wife abandonment, was bound over to the grand jury under a \$200 bond Monday afternoon.

Gehler said that he left his wife because she ate and drank too much, while Mrs.

Gehler declared that she had to spend her own money to get the bare necessities of life.

She testified that she was married to Gehler about four years ago in St. Louis, and that she had to buy the wedding supper, which consisted of wienerwursts and black bread, with 10 cents, the amount her new husband gave her to spend.

New Bonds for the Fair.

Pancull's band of New York will open a three weeks' engagement at the Fair beginning next Monday. It was the official band at the inauguration of Greater New York and the dedication ceremonies and the opening of the Temple of Music at the Pan-American Exposition in Buffalo in 1901. Other bands which will play at the Fair during August are "The Killies" of Belleville, Chicago; Phinney's United States band of Chicago, and the Grenadier Guards band of London.

AGED MAN IS HURT BY CAR

August Sherman Was Hurt From
Wagon, Sustaining Fractured
Skull.

August Sherman, 71 years old, of 1244 Palm street, was knocked from his wagon to the street by an eastbound Page avenue car at 3:30 Tuesday morning and sustained a fracture of the skull.

The accident occurred at Fourteenth street and Washington avenue. Sherman was in a drug store at Fourteenth street and Washington avenue and an effort made to revive him. When he continued unconscious he was removed to the City Hospital.

Sherman, in a two-wheel cart, attempted to cross the street in front of the car. A collision could not be avoided, and he was thrown several feet, falling on the granite paving stones.

FAIR'S FINANCES BEFORE PRESIDENT

Report to Washington Will Contain
Review of Management, With
Certain Recommendations.

PASS QUESTION IS TREATED

Payment of \$500,000 Will Be Made
Friday, Secretary Stevens Posi-
tively Declares.

The national commission will forward to President Roosevelt today a statement relative to the condition of the Fair.

Senator Carter, president of the commission, says that the report will not be made public until the President has read it. After the report reaches Washington it will become an official record and publicity will probably follow.

Great interest has been manifested in the contents of the report. It is the first review of the Fair that has been sent to the President since the opening of the Exposition.

The methods of the Fair management are reviewed and some recommendations will be made, but what these are is a greater mystery than the scuttling of the Santos-Dumont airship.

The same proposition has received attention from the national commission and the President will learn just how many persons are paying to the Fair and how many are not.

Statement made by Secretary Stevens Monday leads to the belief that the national commission's report on the finances of the Fair will not be discouraging.

Mr. Stevens said to the Post-Dispatch: "The third installment on the government loan will be due Friday. Payment of \$500,000 will have to be made, and the Exposition company will be required to pay it. That is one thing I am sure of."

IN SOCIETY

The commissioner-general of Hungary has issued invitations for the opening reception of his honor's section in Main features building on Tuesday afternoon, July 13, from 3 until 5 o'clock.

The A. T. F. Club enjoyed an outing at Richmond Lake Tuesday, July 9. Among those present were: Anita Pickles, Harriet Schmeidler, Anna Ashton, Emily Ashbury, Lois Beyer, Rosalie Hill and Frances Johnson, Jack Jeffers, Klein, Kins, Paul Bull, Tom Curry, Wallace Albright, Mrs. Pickles and Mr. Fisher.

Mrs. W. C. Manley of 2122 Oregon avenue entertained Friday afternoon in honor of her daughter, Margaret. Games of all kinds and dancing were indulged in. Among those present were: Misses Saline Stevenson, Helen Stevens, Winona Wuerstbacher, Ursuline Grissledich, Helen Lenz, Edith Boken, Helen Jennings, Jeanette Jennings, Elizabeth Ashley, Mabel Downey, Margie Arthur Jensen, Elmer Lenz, Edwin Schmidt, Edward Boken, Emil Wachter, Dean Chase, Arthur Meister, Walter Meister, Monie Monie, Elmer Beitzig, W. C. Manley, Jr.

Miss Reid Elmore, who has been the guest of Mrs. Marion Gunn of Cook avenue, has departed for her home in Highland, Ill.

Misses Marie and Lila Gelnicks are pleasantly situated in Green Mountain Plaza, enjoying their life.

Mr. and Mrs. J. David Barth of 4222 Maryland avenue are entertaining Mr. and Mrs. Silas Hare of Sherman, Tex.

Mr. Robert Case of Chicago is spending a few days at the Fair with his brother.

Mr. Miller of Boston avenue has as her guest Miss G. W. Cole, widow of the late Capt. Cole of the U. S. A.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Marshall and their daughter, Miss Gladys Marshall, will sail for Europe on the steamer Baltic from New York on July 18.

Miss Irene Beech, Miss Anna Dooley, Misses Estelle and Ada Geisel will spend a fortnight at Mineral Springs, Mo.

Miss Eugenie Getner, who has been in New York for the past two months, returned home last week accompanied by Mrs. Phillips. Miss Getner will return to New York in September to accept the position of leading soprano in one of the city churches.

Mrs. John Booth of Delmar boulevard has as her guests Misses Elizabeth and Billie Harrison of Newton, formerly of St. Louis.

Dr. and Mrs. Bronson of Oklahoma will spend the fortnight at the Monticello Hotel.

Mr. Sidney A. Willinger will spend a month at the Colorado resorts.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Lambert and their daughter, Miss Genevieve Lambert, will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clement Crevier of West Pine boulevard.

Mrs. Laura A. Condon of Westminster place has as her guests Misses Alice and Emeline Barber of Chicago, Ill.

OSTEOPATHS HOLD CLINICS

On One Thousand Delegates Attend the
Convention of the American
Association.

Clinical demonstrations of osteopathic methods in the treatment of diseases of the respiratory system were the features of Tuesday's sessions of the American Osteopathic Association convention in the Missouri building at the Fair. Dr. Lucius P. Meaker demonstrated the treatment of diabetes and the discussion was led by Dr. C. W. Proctor.

Dr. George M. Laughlin was demonstrator in the asthma clinic and Dr. Sanford T. Lyne led the discussion.

The next meeting will be held Wednesday in the auditorium of the Missouri building. Wednesday night, in Festival Hall, President Francis will welcome the members of the association and a number of other addresses will be heard. The members of the association, about 1000 in all, are in the city, are spending the afternoons visiting the Fair. Osteopathy was discovered and first practiced by Dr. A. P. Still at Kirksville, Mo., in 1892. The School of Osteopathy at Kirksville has graduated over 200 students. The American Osteopathic Association was organized in 1896 and has 100 members, all of whom are expected in St. Louis before the close of the present convention, which ends Thursday. The first session opened Monday with about 800 members in attendance.

PRESIDENT ADVANCES FUNSTON

Gives Him the Choice of All the De-
partmental Commands—The
East.

Special to the Post-Dispatch, July 12.—Brig.-Gen. Fred Funston, one of the junior brigadiers, is the latest army officer to reap the benefit of presidential friendship. He has been ordered transferred from the Department of Columbia to command the Department of the East, which position has been vacant ever since the new army divisions were established.

It is a part of and subordinate to the Atlantic division, now under command of Maj. Gen. Corbin. Corbin is the most important and generally regarded as the most desirable of all the departmental commands. The order goes into effect Oct. 1.

Brig.-Gen. Constant Williams, now at San Antonio, Tex., who has been given the single star, will succeed Gen. Funston in command of the Department of Columbia.

Gen. Corbin will depart for the Philippines on Oct. 1 to take up his command there. He will be succeeded in command of the Atlantic division by Maj. Gen. Wood, new in command of the Philip-

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FOR DRUNKARDS

WILLIE DOW'S CURE is a safe and reliable remedy for strong drink, the appetite for which cannot be cured by any other means. It is a liquid which, without knowledge of patient's tastes, is at once Wilson Drug Co., 214 Washington St., St. Louis.

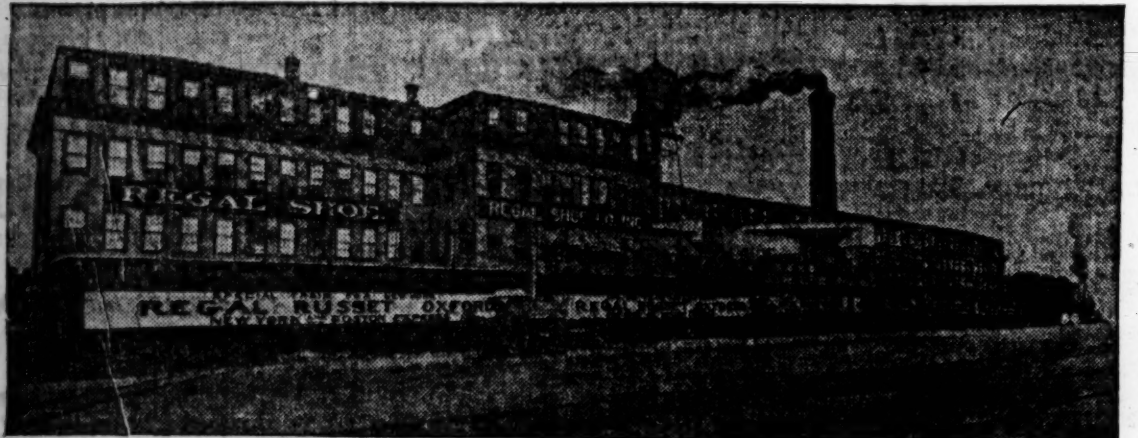


Photo taken June 27th.

A SPECIAL EXPRESS TRAIN LEAVING THE REGAL SHOE FACTORY, WHITMAN, MASS., FOR NEW YORK.

A special train of six cars of Russell Oxforde consigned direct from Whitman to New York for distribution by express among the chain of Regal stores—this is the method the Regal Shoe Company found it necessary to adopt in order to meet the enormous demand for Regal Mid-Summer Oxforde.

This demand for Regals is the inevitable result of the Russell leather "corner" brought about by the Regal people. Calls for Russell Oxforde became so numerous that the managers of the 77 Regal Stores

wired big orders for immediate delivery. That meant shipment by express, and the special train, as shown in this illustration, was dispatched at once. This is the largest single shipment of shoes ever made.

The demand is reasonable, for Russell Oxforde are unquestionably the predominant mid-summer shoes, the sensible choice of popular favor. It is a fact that the Regal factory is supplying practically all of the Russets worn just now by fashionable people throughout the country.

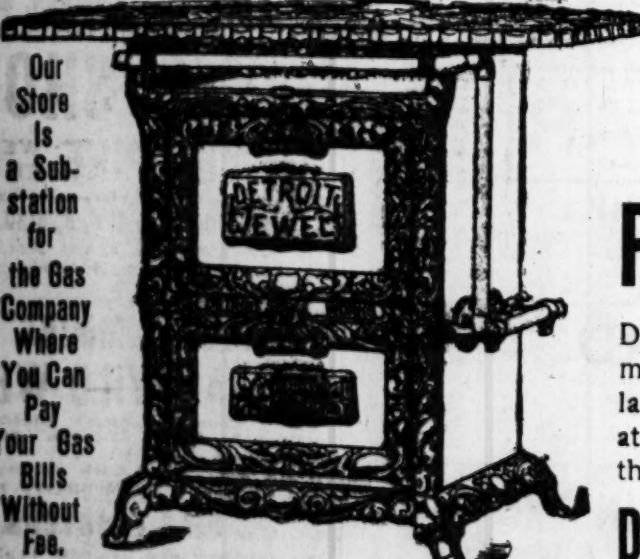
There is positively not a complete as-

sortment of these shoes to be had outside of Regal stores. When the Regal Company cornered the Russell leather market they bought up all the choicest Tan stock before other manufacturers foresaw the present popularity, and their incomparable tannery-to-consumer system had converted this stock into a line of shoes that has set the world talking.

There are 50 different styles of Tan and Russets for men and women; 100 other Oxford styles in King Calf, Calfskin and King Patent. The price of Regals is \$3.50, always, everywhere.

Men's Regal store in St. Louis is situated at 618 Olive street.

FREE! FREE! THIS DETROIT JEWEL GAS RANGE TO BE GIVEN AWAY ABSOLUTELY FREE



Our Store Is a Sub-station for the Gas Company Where You Can Pay Your Gas Bills Without Fee.

Beginning Wednesday, July 13th, and every day until Wednesday, July 20th, inclusive,

Mrs. Mary Lamson Clarke
WILL GIVE

Free Cooking by Gas

Demonstrations at our store at 3 p. m. and 7:30 p. m. each day. Every lady attending will be given a coupon at each demonstration which entitles the holder to a chance on this

Detroit Jewel Gas Range

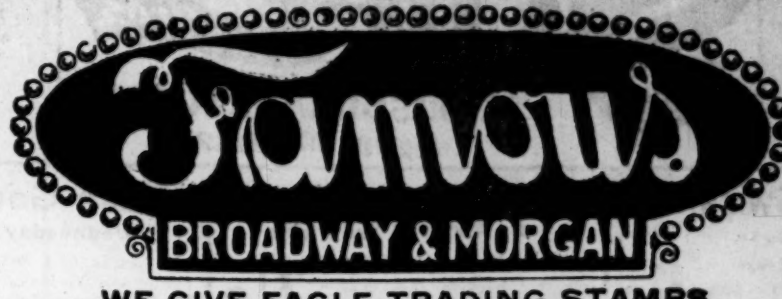
REFRIGERATORS LESS Than Manufacturers' Cost. Prove a Loss to the manufacturers, a gain to you. Water in East St. Louis, the... Has Been Entirely Disregarded in Selling them.

THE BIG STORE OF LITTLE PRICES Helbrung & Gimm 16th & CASS AVE. OUR LOCATION MEANS A SAVING TO YOU

Our July Clearance Sale

The premier bargain event of the year—is now in full operation at Famous. If you want to gather in the most emphatic bargains ever distributed by this or any other store in St. Louis, just be in attendance here Wednesday.

Women's
Hose
—Black gauze,
11-12 garter
top — double
sole — extra
high-spliced
heel and toe—
sold regularly
at 50c—Clear-
ing Sale Price
Wednesday,
25c



Women's
White Shaped
Vests
—Low neck—
a 2 above—
silk ribbon
trimmed—
also women's
wide knee
lace trimmed
panta
match, worth
50c—Clearance
Sale Price
Wednesday,
18c

Our July Clearing Sale of WOMEN'S COOL CLOTHES.

Some particularly good bargains for Wednesday.

\$6 Walking Skirts, \$2.89
These beautiful light and airy all-wool
crashes with silk-knotted effects—made
in three popular styles—19 side plaits
with open plaits at bottom—plain 11-
gore killed style—they come in gray
and tan—are finely tailored and at per-
fectly—material alone worth the price
we ask—regular
\$6.00 skirts,
Wednesday..... 2.89



\$6 Wash Suits, \$2.95
A clearance of broken lines of fine Wash
Suits, including about 25 styles—made
of all the popular materials shown this
season—every effective style—blue,
pink and fancy stripes and figured de-
signs—also white suits, actually sold
by us earlier as high
as \$6.00—Wednesday,
choice for..... 2.95

\$5 Wash Suits, \$1.89
Of linen crashes, lawns and chambrays
in various styles—waists with tucked
back and front, also with shoulder
capes—trimmed with braids and insert-
ing to match—skirts cut full in the
new tucked and killed style—
—regular \$5.00 suits—Clearance
Sale Price..... 1.89

\$5 Linen Skirts, \$2.95
Made in the very popular side-plaited
style, with open plaits at bottom—grace-
ful hanging—green and all around—of
splendid quality linen—in blue, tan and
white—regular \$5.00
—Clearance Sale
Price..... 2.95

\$2 Wash Skirts, 79c
Duck and Denim Skirts, made in walking
lengths only—braided trimmed,
etc.—worth \$1.50 and \$2.00—
—Clearance Sale Price..... 79c

Women's \$1.50 Waists, 79c
Splendid quality white lawn—deep point-
ed bertha trimmed with wide lace in-
sertion and embroidery, edged with
dainty lace—the popular long front mod-
est waists that are good values
at \$1.50—in this Clearance Sale
for..... 79c

YOUR FREE CHOICE OF 2500 Men's and Youths' \$15, \$18, \$20 and \$22 SUMMER SUITS



They're suits that reflect the very height of
fashion and are the proud productions of Amer-
ica's most skilled tailors—it's our July clearance
sale and every summer suit in stock must go.
Included are those dressy blue serges, summery
homespuns, fancy chevrons, cassimeres, worsteds,
in the cleverest and most striking pattern ideas
brought out this season—tailored without a fault
—suits of character and dependence, of snap and
style—men, we want you to personally view
these magnificent values—you'll then understand
why Famous is doing the lion's share of the
clothing business of St. Louis.

8c and 10c Goods 4½c

10c to 20c plain color Lawns, some faced—
Remnants.....
8c printed Balloons—fine cloth, tasty pat-
tern.....
8c bleached Muslin, choice of two kinds.....
3c unbleached all linen fitted 18-inch crash
Toweling.....
5c bleached dish towels, 18x18 in size.....
8c hemmed huck or hemmed damask Towel
Wednesdays, yard, or each.....

12½c and 15c Goods, 7½c

15c Percales, sea island—you all know them
15c Berkeley and Lonsdale Cambric, yard
wide.....
12½c 18-inch Crash Toweling—bleached.....
10c Fruit of the Loom or Lonsdale Muslin.....
12½c hemmed Huck Towels, 17x24 in size.....
15c German 32-inch Print, blue and reds.....
15c printed Balloons and Dimples; new
goods.....
Wednesday, yard, or each.....

BOYS' SUITS

\$4.00 and \$4.50 Values, \$2.45

One of the best offerings of our
July Clearance Sale—Boys' all-
wool, two-piece suits, made of
splendid fabrics in a vast range
of pretty patterns—suits that
are finely tailored and really
worth \$4 and
\$4.50—choice of
hundreds—Wed-
nesday for..... 2.45

CUBAN PARROTS

We have just received a fresh ship-
ment of handsome Cu-
ban Parrots—the kind
that make the best
talkers, they're all
hardly birds of exqui-
site plumage—Wed-
nesday, choice for



\$3.48

July Clearance of TOILET GOODS

Dr. Charles 50c Flesh 35c
Food.....
Sheffield's 35c 15c
Dentifrice.....
35c Josephine Per-
fume, oz.....
Bally's 10c Talcum 4c
Powder.....
35c 50c.....
35c Sachet Talcum 15c
Full..... 10c

Men's Shirt Waists

Worth \$1.00—assorted lots—
good patterns—
Wednesday,
choice
for..... 33c

Men's \$1.00 Shirts

Percale and Madras—with detach-
ed cuffs—neat black and white
figures—absolutely fast colors—
Wednesday
only,
choice
for..... 50c

Men's Balbriggan

Undershirts and Drawers
Worth 39c—
Wednesday,
per garment..... 25c

HOUSEHOLD WANTED—Girl for general work; good wages; three in family. 2000 Main av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl to assist in a
housework. 1234 S. 2nd st.

HOUSEWORK. 124 N. 9TH ST.
HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general house-
 work in family of three; no children. 4041 Be-
 chemical av.
HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general house-
 work. 2703 Walnut st.
HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Young girl for general
 housework. 2904 Clark av.

USEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general
work. 2804 Clark av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Young colored girl to do general housework. 4506 Pinney av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good, clean girl for general housework. Occasional family; no washing or ironing. 5410 Pine st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; no washing. 3508 Cleveland av.

HOUSEKEEPER WANTED—Working housekeeper. 344 Hartner av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—White or colored girl for general housework. 914 N. 14th st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Young girl to assist in housework; go home nights. 3130 Lawton.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Young girl to assist with housework. 1828 La Salle.

USEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general
work; no washing or ironing. 2917 Olive

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl to assist with housework; no washing or ironing; go home at night. 517 Bacon st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 2123 Arsenal.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for housework. 5805 Barmer av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Small flat; no laundry.

USEGIRL WANTED—Neat, tidy girl for

HOUSEGIRL WANTED-White girl to assist in general housework. 2630 Wash st. (5)

HOUSEGIRL WANTED-Girl to do housework, good home and good wages; three in family. 4158 Greer av. (3)

HOUSEGIRL WANTED-Girl for general housework; small family; good wages. 4614 Delmar. (5)

HOUSEGIRL WANTED-Girl to do general housework, good home and good wages; three in family. 4158 Greer av. (3)

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general
work. 2217 S. Grand av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED-A competent girl for general housework; small family; good wages. 4224 McPherson st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED-Girl to assist with housework. 4297 Cook av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED-Girl for general housework; for private family; must be good cook. Apply at 4428 Morgan.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED-Girl for plain housework, small family, no washing. 1536 Lafayette st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED-Competent girl for cooking and general housework. 2140 N. Compton.

USEGIRL WANTED—Good girl for housework. 3233 S. Jefferson.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 4191 Washington av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; no washing; small family. 4119 Cook av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Neat, capable woman for housework; \$4 per week; no washing. 1740 Missouri av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; German preferred. 5546 Catev av. (3)

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—For light housework. 2018 St. Vincent.

USEGIRL WANTED—Strong girl for housework; no cooking; flat. 4034 Delmar

USEGIRL WANTED-White girl about 16, to assist with housework. Call 5000 Delmar.
USEGIRL WANTED-Girl for general housework; no washing. 3141 Bell st.
USEGIRL WANTED-Girl for general housework, plain cooking, washing and ironing; private family. 4028 Cook st.
USEGIRL WANTED-Girl to do housework and wash dishes; no objection to small child; good wages. Call after 10 a. m. at 6121 Easton st.
USEGIRL WANTED-For general housework; no washing. Call after 10 a. m. at 6121 Easton st.

USEGIRL WANTED—For general house work, washing or ironing. 1028 S. 1st St.

Washing or ironing, 1100 N. St. Louis.

UNSMILEY WANTED—Girl for general housework and general cooking. 5064 A Fairmont.

DIES WANTED—To learn hairdressing, manicuring, facial, massage or electrolysis; splendid wages paid graduates; can nearly earn expenses before finishing; few weeks complete; diplomas awarded; position guaranteed; call or write. Color College, 1110 N. St. Louis. (5)

DIES WANTED—Home work, transferring, \$6 to \$15 weekly; tools free; no experience. Hind and bldg., room 409.

DIES—Stead home work transferring, \$8 to \$18 weekly; reliable arm. Room 421, 721 Olive, (6)

JOY WANTED—A young lady who has had considerable experience in retail cigar line.

WANTED—Lady to wait on invalid for meals and errands. Please call Wednesday noon, 451 Thomas st.

WANTED—Young lady entry clerk; must write good hand and be accurate. Grand Levee, 7, 3040 Lawton st.

WANTED—An intelligent lady for a light, responsible position. Call between 9 and 12, room 416 Poston bldg.

AGENTS WANTED—To solicit; call at 20 Locust st., after 8 o'clock. (3)

UNLESS WANTED—White. Apply Maryland.

ANDREWS WANTED—First-class laundress, at Rand Avenue Hotel.
ANDREWS WANTED—To take home washing two ladies; call in the evening. 4188 Delmar.
ANDREWS WANTED—White. 4581 Cook av.
ANDREWS WANTED—Good washer/ironer; family of three; German preferred. 2224 North st.
ANDREWS WANTED—Experienced laundress; once; steady work; references required. #200 Washington av.
ANDREWS WANTED—White laundress. 4064

ADDRESS WANTED—A German woman

washing and ironing. Call at 3710 Carnegie st.

INDRESS WANTED—Laundress for Wednesday. 4118 Washington st.

INDRESS WANTED—Laundress to take washing home; also young girl to help about house 9 hours morning and evening. Call after 10 o'clock. 4464 Evans st.

INDRESS WANTED—White preferred. Call Wednesday morning. 3821 Finney st.

INDRESS WANTED—Good laundress. Call at 4298 N. 1st st.

INDRESS WANTED—White woman for ironing. 3 12 4. 4474 N. 1st. Mrs. M. M. 1414 N. 1st.

ADDRESS WANTED—Good laundress; Wed. and Thursday. Apply 513 N. Spring.

NDRESS WANTED—First-class maid; at
day; \$300 a day. 5005 Calver av. (Oakland) CD

NDRESS WANTED—Friday, to rent basement;
at paid for washing. 2117 Olive av.

NDRESS WANTED—Good white or colored
address. Call at once, 5085A Kensington.

REL WANTED—Female, for artist; none pos-
sible; experience unnecessary. Call mornings at
Studio C, third floor, 2313 Washington av.

USE WANTED—To help take care of baby,
20 Fairmount.

USEHILG, WANTED—Strong German girl to

the care of 2-months-old boy and 6-year
y; one who is not afraid of work. 8028 O

REGULAR WANTED—Over 18, 312 months before noon, Tuesday, 2941 Pine st.
Nurse WANTED—Reliable nurse, under 45, to the care of child 2 years old. 8605 Delmar.
LABORERS WANTED—Experienced operators on Atlas' white lawn mowers; steady work; best wages; short hours, etc. Apply at each Ford Motorist Co., 808 N. 30th st., between Olive and Locust; come ready to work. (3)
LABORERS WANTED—An experienced operator, must be underwear; good wages; steady work. I. Friedman & Co., 704 N. 6th st. (2)

SALSLADIES WANTED - Experienced salesladies in various departments; good

MALESLADY WANTED—In small dry goods store; it is experienced and formal restaurant. \$5 to \$10.00 salary \$1 week to start. Ad. 1st-1500.

MALESLADY WANTED—For all departments, Schaefer Hotel, Broadway and Franklin.

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Laurelly Teller Co., 2000 Ave.

